Laying down of PVC pipe ducfe in Goa

3691. SHRI JOHN F. FERNANDES: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what were the terms and conditions of the tender called for laying down P.V.C. pipe ducts at Panaji, Goa by the T.D(M);

(b) what depth was specified on soft soil and roak soil and at what depth the pipes are laid down now;

(c) whether pipelines are used to hold the pile together as specified in the works tender; and

(d) whether this work has been com pleted and if so, at what cost?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THL, MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) to (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Supply of P.V.C. pipes for cable duct system by Goa TD (M)

3692. SHRI JOHN. F. FERNANDES: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what were the terms and condition for inviting tenders for supply of P.V.C pipes for cable duct system by Goi TD (M);

(b) whether tenders were called fo two gauge of pipes for hard-rock soi and soft soil;

(c) if so, whether they have purehaset both gauge of pipes, if so, the detail thereof indicating their numbers an< cost;

(d) whether the lowest tender was preferred; and

(e) the details of all the tende applications?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATTONJ (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU) (a) No tenders were called for purchas. of P.V.C. pipes for cable ducts ii Goa.

(b) Does not arise in view of 'a above.

(c) P.V.C. pipes of two gauges wer purchased at the rates approved b Chief Controller of Telegraph Stores Calcutta with the following details:

Thickness of pipe	Dia of pipe	Quantity	Rate (Rs/)M!
3.32 mm	110 mm	160002 M	62.30
1.92 mm	50 mm	55002 M	18 0

(d) Does not arise in view of (a) show.

(e) Docs not arise i*n* view of *(a) above.*

Number of dead telephones in Goa

3693. SHRI JOHN F. FERNANDES: Will the Minister of COMMUNICA TIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of telephones which were dead on onset of monsoon at Pansji, Goa;

(b) thee number of these are restored so far? and

(c) how long it will take to restot all the phones?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN TH MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATION (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU)

(a) About 4000 numbers were affecte since last week of May, 1992.